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For: PARALLEL GENOTYPING OF MULTIPLE PATIENT SAMPLES		

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Responsive to the nonfinal Office Action mailed March 24, 2009, entry of the following  
Amendments and Remarks is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.